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SUBJ: SOVIET PRESS SUMMARY -- AUGUST 4

1. U.S.-PRAVDA CARRIES BRIEF TASS ITEMS REPORTING THE CONCLUSION OF THE PRESIDENT'S VISIT TO BUCHAREST AND HIS ARRIVAL IN BELGRADE. TASS SAYS THAT U.S.-ROMANIAN TALKS DEALT WITH BILATERAL AND INTERNATIONAL MATTERS. STORY REPORTS THAT COMMUNIQUE CALLED CSCE AN "IMPORTANT STEP" TOWARD GUARANTEEING SECURITY AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION IN EUROPE AND STRESSED THE NEED FOR OBSERVANCE OF ALL ARTICLES OF THE FINAL ACT.
2. CSCE. PRAVDA FRONT-PAGES LETTERS FROM SOVIET CITIZENS HAILING THE RESULTS OF THE HELSINKI SUMMIT AND ESPECIALLY BREZHNEV'S ROLE. PRAVDA ALSO CARRIES COMMENTS BY EASTERN EUROPEAN PARTY CHIEFS ZHIVKOV, KADAR, HUSAK AND TITO PRAISING THE MEETING AND THE DOCUMENTS.
3. CYPRUS. PRAVDA CORRESPONDENT MEL'NIKOV CITES VIENNA PRESS THAT THIRD ROUND OF THE INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS PRODUCED AGREEMENT ABOUT NATIONAL MINORITIES LIVING IN DIFFERENT REGIONS OF CYPRUS AND THAT THE POSITIONS OF THE PARTIES ON THE QUESTION OF FORMING A FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OF CYPRUS WERE STATED.
4. TURKEY. NEW YORK DATELINED TASS ITEM REPORTS HIGHLIGHTS OF DEMIREL'S ISTANBUL PRESS CONFERENCE. SUMMARIZING AP STORY, TASS REPORTS DEMIREL ANNOUNCED REJECTION OF THE PRESIDENT'S OFFER OF SPECIAL MILITARY AID, SAID NEGOTIATIONS ON A NEW DEFENSE COOPERATION AGREEMENT CANNOT TAKE PLACE AS LONG AS U.S. EMBARGO REMAINS IN FORCE, AND EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR GOOD RELATIONS WITH USSR, IRAN AND ARAB STATES.
5. CHINA-SOUTH ASIA. PRAVDA'S COMMENTARY BY ALEKSANDR UNCLASSIFIED

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FILIPPOV DENOUCES PEKING FOR SEEKING TO SOW DISSENSION AND SLOW DOWN THE PROECESS OF NORMALIZING RELATIONS AMONG THE COUNTRIES OF SOUTH ASIA. PEKING PROVIDES MONEY AND ARMS FOR SABOTAGE IN BANGLADESH AND OPPOSES PRE JMGFVE FORCES LIKE MRS. GANDHI, SAYS PRAVDA. THUS PEKING IS THE REAL THREAT TO THE INTEREST OF THE PEOPLE AND STATES OF ASIA, PRAVDA CONCLUDES.

6. VIETNAM-CAMBODIA. PRAVDA CARRIES A TASS ITEM FROM  
HANOI REPORTING THE VISIT TO CAMBODIA BY A DRV DELEGATION  
HEADED BY PARTY CHIEF LE DUAN. THE TASS ITEM SAID THAT  
THE CAMBODIAN COMMITTEE OF REVOLUTIONARY LEADERSHIP  
INVITED THE VIETNAMESE, ERP HL  
VAVE NO CAMBODIAN NAMES.  
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